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Via ECFS Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1

Dear FCC,

I choose a competitive provider, Sonic, because they provide better customer service and I dont believe in monopolies. We dont want price hikes for our internet and phone services and the use of broadband is critical for my home as we run a small business out of it. Local companies are the way to go, they help keep the power in the hands of consumers unlike big telecom monopolies.

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